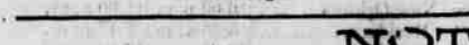


WHOLE NO. 154.



We have telephone connection now with the Depot and telegraph connection with the world.

N. B. Horses and vehicles for hire. Special attention given to picnic and excursion parties. june 26-3m.

The Board have arrangements with the C. S. & E. R. by which they can furnish settlers with reduced rate certificates from Cincinnati and Chattanooga to Rugby Road, on application to the undersigned. Maps and plans can be seen at the Board's Office on Central Avenue. Intending Settlers will be most liberally dealt with, and any information cheerfully given by

ROBERT WALTON,
SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE, TENN.

Mr. Hughes then introduced Mr. H. Kimber. Mr. Kimber said, "The Joint Stock Company was a capital

every dollar of the original subscribed capital employed, but £10,000 or in round numbers \$50,000 has been subsequently raised in bonds, and remitted to the colony, in addition to capital raised by discounting notes that were running. The out-break of the Typhoid fever was most unfortunate; the failure of the colony was announced from Dan to Beersheba and so magnified by malicious people, that the credit of the company was ruined, and the course of immigration almost stopped. Of course the out-cry against the unlucky Board of Aid was loud and strong: but was it fair to charge

applause) Mr. Walton has been maligned and vitified in the public press, and in the midst of all this, he was working day and night with unwearied patience in unravelling the tangled web of evidence that was necessary to fight these suits with any chance of success. We cannot afford to fight any opponent with questionable means, we were determined that whatever the issues of these litigations might be, they should be won or lost honorably; and if the Board of Aid should have to go into Bankruptcy it should be with clean hands. Our

It is stated in the most positive manner that this mortgage has been put in my name, that I am "the head and front" of the London Board. That Mr. Hughes has no voice in the management: the facts being, that Mr. Hughes has gone into it to a much greater extent than I think he is able, and, that *I am not even a director* and have nothing to do with it except so far as my judgment is valuable to the directorate.

But having put our hands to the plow we do not intend to go back. It is not the intention of the mortgages to foreclose the mortgage, although not a cent of interest has been paid, and the time long since expired. Rugby is reported as